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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Office Action mailed September 18, 2001, and the Interview Summary mailed October 5, 2001, Applicant elects the invention of Group II drawn to the embodiment of polypeptides and methods of stimulating T cells using proteins. The election is made without traverse.

Enclosed is a Petition for One-Month Extension of Time and a check in payment of the extension. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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